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PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
DEC 16 2002
In re Application of
Krassen Dimitrov

Serial No: 09/898,743

Filed: July 3, 2001

For: METHODS FOR DETECTION AND)
QUANTIFICATION OF)
ANALYTES IN COMPLEX)
MIXTURES)

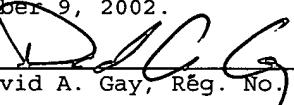
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed
October 8, 2002, consideration of the following remarks is
respectfully requested.

REMARKS

Claims 1-84 are pending. The Examiner alleges that the
claims are directed to four distinct inventions as follows:

Group I: Claims 1 through 15, and 78 through 84, drawn
to a diverse populations of labels, and a
labeling kit;